Feb. 9, 2025 - Feb 16, 2025

Sunday, Feb 9
9:00 Brotherhood breakfast - everyone invited
9:40 Prayer Time
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
5:00 Church Council
6:00 Kids Club
6:00 Youth
6:00 Evening Worship w/ church conference to follow

Tuesday, Feb 11
10:00 S.H.O.P.
10:30 Golden Voices

Wednesday, Feb 12
7:00 Valentine Themed Family Night

Sunday, Feb 16
9:40 Prayer Time
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
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6:00 Youth
6:00 Evening Worship

February Activities

Sun, Feb 9, 9:00 Brotherhood breakfast, Everyone is invited.
Sun, Feb 9, 5:00 Church Council
Sun, Feb 9, 6:45 Church Conference
Wed, Feb 12, Family Night - Valentine's Day Theme
Tues, Feb 18, 7:00 WMU Hazel Chapman & Linda Tillery Groups
Thurs, Feb 20, TBA Unload Food truck
Thurs, Feb 20, 6:30 Bible Class (Ann Titshaw) pack food boxes
Sun, Feb 23, 3:30 Evangelism Conference in Warner Robins
Mon, Feb 24, 1:00-3:00 Food Distribution

Thank You

Dear Church Family, Drew and I truly appreciate all your gifts, prayers and acts of kindness during our wedding. Unfortunately, with all our moves back and forth to Oklahoma we have misplaced our book listing our gifts and we are unable to properly thank you personally. But, we do want to say thank you so much for everything. Please continue to keep us in your prayers.

With love, Drew and Breeleigh Fowler

Thank You Cards

Thank you Church Family for the flowers, food, calls and texts during this difficult time. Our Mom loved this Church and it brings us comfort to know she was surrounded by such a loving and caring Church Family. We are truly grateful for your prayers and thoughtfulness.

The Family of Betty F. Brown

Thank you dear church family for your love, support and prayers during this difficult time. You truly are our family.

Tommy & Jena

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Sunday Report - February 2, 2025

Sunday School - 100
Sunday Morning Worship— 139
Sunday Evening Worship total - 60
Adults - 28 Youth - 9 Kids - 6
Offering $11,136.01

How to watch our live streaming worship services on YouTube & Facebook

At 11:00 a.m. go to YouTube's website and in the "search" box type in First Baptist Rochelle Georgia. This will allow you to watch our morning service at 11:00. Or, from your Facebook page search for First Baptist Church of Rochelle GA and click on the live stream.

At any time, you can go to these social media platforms or our website and watch previous worship services.

Ways to Give at FBC Rochelle

We have multiple ways to give to our church and its ministries.

1. Use the offering plate as it is passed.
2. Mail a check to P. O. Box 566, Rochelle, GA 31079
3. Give online at fbcofrochelle.com
4. Drop offering in the offering box at the Giving Station.
5. Text "GIVE" to 229-466-4681 and follow the prompts.
6. Scan the QR code below and follow the prompts.

First Baptist Church of Rochelle

Religious Freedom Sunday

February 9, 2025
Richard Compton - Pastor
229-313-2500

Cynthia Holt-Music Director
Norma Jean Howell-Pianist
Audrey Cason-Violinist
Rebecca Garrett-Praise Team
Barb Ramsey - Secretary
Jan Brown-Organist
Pam Johnson-Flutist
Mary Williamson-Praise Team
Eric Griffin - Youth Director

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Welcome to Worship

Where Faith, Family and Friends Flourish

February 9, 2025
Morning Worship Service

Prelude		"And Can it Be"
Welcome		Pastor Richard
Praise & Worship	"Made for More"	Praise Team
Hymn	485 "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"	
Hymn	629	"God of Our Fathers"
Tithes & Offerings		"Lead On, O King Eternal"
Doxology		
Children's Message		Wayne McGuinty
Spiritual Lostness		"Sentinelese of India"
Congregational Prayer		Pastor Richard
Hymn	522	"When the Morning Comes"
Message	"Religious Freedom: Keep it or Lose It" Michael Griffin Deuteronomy 30:19-20	
Invitation		309 "Lord, I'm Coming Home"
Postlude		"Since Jesus Came Into My Heart"

Evening Worship Service

Prelude		"What a Day That Will Be"
Welcome and Prayer		Pastor Richard
Hymn	520	"O What Will Be Glory"
Hymn		"In the Sweet By and By"
Message	"Walk Thru Genesis" Genesis 4	Pastor Richard

Children's Church Workers
Today, 2/9/25 - Luann & Melanie Willard
February 2/16/25 - Furman & Maxine Peebles
Next Sunday, **Nursery Workers**
Today, 2/9/25 - Susan & Lauren Stubbs
Next Sunday, 2/16/25 -Melanie Willard & Cassidy Baker

The altar arrangement is placed in the sanctuary today by Nancy King in memory of my Johnny.

RELIGIOUS FREEDOM SUNDAY

Our First Amendment Rights must be protected now, more than ever. This is precisely why we need a Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA) in every state, including Georgia! 37 states have already enacted this RFRA, but **not** Georgia!

We are living in a day when persecution is increasing against people of faith, particularly those that are "Biblically-minded Christians." The ultimate goal in persecuting Christians is to silence the gospel. And because we are in a Republic, we cannot disengage from our responsibility to be a part of protecting religious freedom that will ultimately further the proclamation of the gospel through evangelism and missions.

Now is the time to standup for the Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA) in the state of Georgia. There are a number of reasons we should do so:

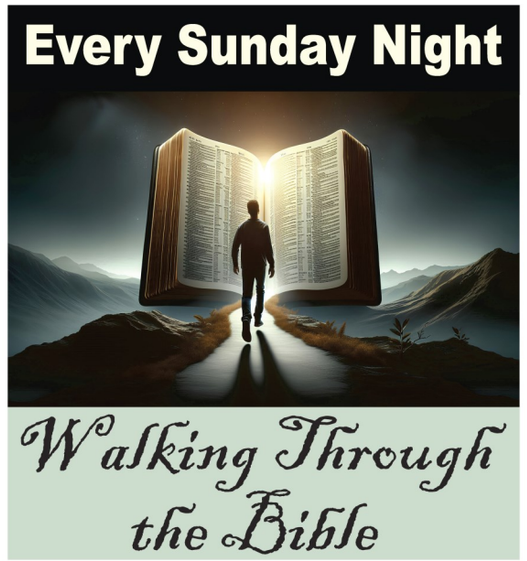
1. **This act restores the original intent of the 1st Amendment.**
2. **This act protects people of faith from government intrusion.**
3. **This act provides a proper balancing test for the rights of citizens and the responsibility of government.**
4. **The Freedom of Religious Freedom**
5. **The Responsibility of Religious Freedom**

Now is the time to contact your Georgia House and Senate member and ask them to enthusiastically support the passage of a Religious Freedom Restoration Act during the 2025 legislative session.

Contact Information:

House of Representative:	Noel Williams, Jr	
	Office:	(404) 656-5146
	Email:	noel.williams@house.ga.gov
State Senator:	Larry Walker, III	
	Office:	(404) 656-0095
	Email:	Send email through his website at www.legis.ga.gov

Have prayer requests, needs? Contact the Deacon of the Month
James Hensley Graham 229-276-6011



Genesis

One Chapter each Night

Sunday Nights at Six

Family Night

This Wednesday at 7:00 is our Valentine themed Family Night. Bring your favorite dish and come enjoy some great food and fellowship. Pastor Richard will share some Valentine thoughts following our meal.

Food Ministry

Thursday, February 20 we will unload the food truck around 10:30. That evening at 6:30 Ann Titshaw's class will pack the food boxes. Monday, February 24 from 1:00-3:00 is food distribution.

Evangelism Conference

Central Baptist Church in Warner Robins will host the Evangelism Conference on Sunday, February 23 at 6:00. We will take the church bus and leave at 3:30. If you would to ride the bus please sign up at the Welcome Center.

You shall be witnesses unto Me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of earth. Acts 1:8